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1. AGATTACHE SAW SEC. TANCO BRIEFLY TODAY AND DISCUSSED IN GENERAL CONTENTS OF REFTEL.

2. TANCO MADE FOLLOWING POINTS:

A.HE BASICALLY CONCURS WITH CONTENTS OF REFTEL. TANCO INDICATED THAT HIS HADS ARE MORE OR LESS TIED AND HE CANNOT OPENLY OPPOSE BANGLADESH CANDIDATE AND THAT HE MUST NOW WORK BEHIND THE SCENES TO BREAK IMPASSE. TANCO PLANS TO LEAVE MANILA MAY 26AND PLANS TO STOP IN BANGLADESH TODISCUSS SITUATION.

B. HE DOES NOT BELIEVE IT ADVISABLE FOR US TO OFFER TO HOST 1979 WFC CONFERENCE SINCE NIGERIA OFFERED TO HOST DURING MANILA CONFERENCE AND HE ASSMES THE OFFER WILL NOT BE WITHDRAWN.

C. TANCO BELIVES IT WOULD BE A POSITIVE AND USEFUL STEP LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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FOR US TO OFFER TO HOST 1980 CONFERENCE. THIS MIGHT EVEN ASSIST IN RESOLVING CURRENT PROBLEM OF WFC EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR.

COMMENT:

SEC. TANCO IN A VERY TIGHT AND DIFFICULT SITUATION AND MUST USE EXTREME CAUTION SO AS NOT TO IRRITATE G-77 AND STILL ACHIEVE WHAT HE BELIVES IS NEEDED IF WFC IS TO CONTINUE AS A

FUNCTIONING, VIABLE ORGANIZATION. TOUSSAINT

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